

KICKS WITH A VIM

Prof. Gleason, the Horse Trainer, Enjoins Prof. Smith

FROM GIVING EXHIBITIONS

Because He Alleges That He is the Sole and Only Original Equine Master—Court News.

Professors Oscar R. Gleason and Norton B. Smith, the professional handlers of wild and vicious horses, who have been giving exhibitions of their skill in this city for the last few nights, are in trouble, and the difficulty has been referred to the United States court for settlement. Mr. Gleason procured a temporary injunction yesterday restraining Smith from continuing his exhibitions. Gleason claims to be the author of a book on horse training, the writer of a lecture, the inventor of the horse taming and training methods he practices, and to hold proprietary rights as a device of the equine drama, which he presents each evening on the stage. He has all these rights covered by copyrights issued from the office of the librarian in Washington, and possesses the sole and only privileges of doing business in these lines. It is claimed that Smith's work and book is a complete transcript from Gleason's book. Gleason also says that Smith was in his employ as assistant from March 26, 1887, to Feb. 21, 1891. While in his employ it is claimed that Smith took shorthand reports of Gleason's "horse drama," secured copies of his books and pamphlets and copied all the devices and rigging used in the training of horses, appropriating them to his own use without Gleason's consent. The restraining order was issued by Judge Severans at his home in Kalamazoo. The final hearing will be had before the court on February 2.

BILL IS SUPPRESSED.

Julia Arnold Wants a Divorce With Alimony on the Side.

Julia A. Arnold has begun a suit for divorce against her husband, Charles Arnold, in the superior court. The bill is suppressed. An order was made that a temporary injunction issue according to the terms of the bill filed, to restrain the defendant from disposing of any of his property, and to be binding upon him, until further order from the court.

Held to the Grand Jury.

Henry Beach of Shelby, Oceana County, was arrested by Deputy Marshal Thomas and arraigned before Commissioner McQueen on a charge of retailing liquor without paying the government tax. He waived examination and was held under bonds to the grand jury, which meets in March.

Appeals from Judge Severans' Court.

The Cadillac city council has instructed its city attorney to carry the Toledo & Ann Arbor railroad bond case to the United States court of appeals at Cincinnati. A decision was recently rendered by Judge Severans in which the bonds issued by the city were held to be legal.

News Notes of the Courts.

The case of Ella R. H. Hembling against the City of Grand Rapids for injuries received by falling on a defective sidewalk was continued over to the next term by stipulation.

Sarah R. Smith was granted a divorce from her husband, Frederick Smith, by Judge Adair in the circuit court yesterday on the grounds of desertion.

LAW AND LAWYERS.

Circuit Court—Part I.

JUDGE GROVE.

Living Sharpsteen vs. Grand Rapids Electric Light & Power Company, et al., trespass on the case; arguments partially submitted.

Circuit Court—Part II.

JUDGE ADAMS.

Matilda Steward vs. Henry Colwell, replevin; judgment for plaintiff of six cents and costs.

Superior Court.

JUDGE BURLINGAME.

Julia A. Arnold vs. Charles Arnold, divorce; order that temporary injunction issue according to the terms of the bill filed to be binding on defendant until further order of the court.

Ella R. Hembling vs. the City of Grand Rapids, trespass on the case; continued over term without costs by stipulation.

Probate Court.

JUDGE PERKINS.

Estate of Horace Bennett, deceased, admitted to probate and Eva Bennett appointed administrator with will annexed.

Estate of Lydia R. Pierce, deceased, Andrew Fyfe appointed administrator.

Estate of Cornelius Ebeles, deceased, John Ebeles appointed administrator.

Estate of William A. Haire, et al., miners, Robert A. Haire appointed guardian.

Estate of Samuel Furtney, deceased, Eugene Ward and Aaron Clark appointed committee on claims.

Imagine the customers' surprise thinking his Overcoat \$25 and found it \$12.50 at the Tower's, 1 and 1 off.

J. A. J. Friedrich, of Nos. 30 and 32 Canal street, has on hand 25 second hand organs which he will sell very cheap. They are all in good repair, and any one wanting a good but cheap instrument should call on him at once, as he proposes to sell them off as rapidly as possible.

Don't Need More Room.

Hartman's has 25,000 square feet of elegant show room on Ottawa street, and a dozen carloads of pianos would not crowd much. New pianos are arriving daily, and as Mr. Hartman always carries the largest stock in the city, you will know where to go when you desire to purchase a first-class instrument.

We would rather count dollars than Overcoats, 1 and 1 off. Tower's.

Foster, Stevens & Co.

Keep almost everything except pianos and sheet music. You can get those at Hartman's.

FIRE EXHIBITION.

The Grand Rapids Chemical Fire Extinguisher Company

Will give their first public exhibition to prove the merits of their machine over all others by erecting three structures or three different kinds of fires and all burning at the same time. The fire will be strong and fully 100 feet and will envelop in fire all, at the word of command from Chief Lemmon of the Grand Rapids Fire Department, be put out in a few seconds. Our citizens are all interested in the protection and all are cordially invited to be on hand Tuesday afternoon, the 25th, at 4 o'clock sharp. Exhibition to take place on the Waters vacant lot, corner of Ottawa and Lyon streets. The exhibition will be wholly under the supervision of Chief Lemmon.

Col. Geo. A. Keeler, of the well known Boston furniture house of Keeler & Co., and Mr. Alfred A. Poole, the popular hotel manager, have taken a long lease of the American house in that city. This is one of the oldest and best known hotels in Boston, is situated in the center of business, and under the new management, who contemplate many new improvements. It will no doubt become more popular than ever. It will be conducted on both the American and European plans and offer every facility for the comfort and convenience of the traveling public. Colonel Keeler has no intention of leaving the furniture business, with which he has been connected all his life, but will give personal attention to both enterprises.

Good Excuse.

Better than none. Our competitors are making lots of excuses just now to help sales. The quantity and quality of Hartman's stock of pianos, organs and musical merchandise and sheet music speaks for itself, and the prices are all of the lowest. Call and be convinced.

G. R. Bus, College, A. S. Parish, prop.

Twenty-five second-hand organs will be sold out as quickly as possible at J. A. J. Friedrich's music house, Nos. 30 and 32 Canal street. All are in good repair and those wishing a good instrument, at a low figure, should call at once.

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One a Day

Is the number of pianos sold at Hartman's the past week. Mr. Hartman expects to report two or more a day this week as Prof. Herrick and Mrs. Weeden both intend to make a record.

Remenyi, Violinist.

In concert at Hartman's hall Friday, the 29th, Behr Bros' piano is highly praised by Remenyi, and is sold only at Hartman's music house, Nos. 30 and 32 Canal street. Call and examine these fine instruments.

Second Hand Organs.

A lot of 25, all in good repair, can be seen at the music house of J. A. J. Friedrich. Now is the time to purchase a good instrument at very low figures. You will miss an opportunity by not coming on us should you want an instrument of this kind.

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LOOK AT THIS!

Do You Know That It Will Pay You To Investigate Life Insurance?

Possibly I may be able to help you to secure a life insurance policy which will show your values annually—estimated values, not estimates, mind you! Not Tontine insurance, but insurance that insures. Call me up by telephone or address JAMES T. FLAHERTY, General Agent, Massachusetts Mutual Life Ins. Co. for Western Michigan, Room 1018, Widdicombe Bld'g. Telephone 1018.

G. R. Bus, College, A. S. Parish, prop.

Small Profits.

Hartman believes in quick sales and small profits. Specially is this true regarding square pianos and second-hand organs. Nos. 31 to 100 Ottawa street is the place and you will surely purchase if you bring a little cash with you to make the first payment.

Adulterated Wine.

Is injurious, but nothing gives strength like a pure old port wine. "Royal Ruby Port," so called for its royal taste and ruby color, is particularly adapted for invalids, convalescents and the aged. Sold only in quart bottles, for one dollar, while cheap wine is sold by the gallon and gives a larger profit to the seller but less to the user. This wine is absolutely pure and has the age without which no wine is fit to use. Be sure you get Royal Ruby, 1 in quart bottles only. Sold by White & White.

Try Jackson's \$2 cabinet.

At the Turkish Bath every Tuesday afternoon and evening and Friday forenoon reserved for ladies, corner Monroe and Ionia streets, Mr. LaBourcier, proprietor.

Studley & Barclay

Will sell you full line of rubber goods, but you must go to Hartman's for pianos and musical merchandise and sheet music.

Pao's Cure for Consumption is an especially good medicine for Croup. Mrs. M. R. Arent, Jonesboro Texas May 9th, 1891.

An Introduction

to the through routes of the Wisconsin Central lines and Northern Pacific railroad is unnecessary. Its advantages and conveniences have been fully established. It is the only route to the Pacific coast over which both Pullman Vestibule first-class and Pullman Tourist cars are operated from Chicago via St. Paul without change. Through train leaves Chicago every day at 10:45 p. m. The traveler via this route passes through the most picturesque, interesting and prosperous belt of country in the western world. There is scenery with most striking contrasts that range from the rolling prairie and the pine forest level to the wildest peaks of the wildest mountains in the world.

There is a series of the noblest cities, towns and villages of every variety and size, from the hamlet or the tiny farm, upward, the richest mine in the world; the greenest and most lasting pasturage; the wildest scenery on the continent; canons as weird as a nightmare; hills, snows and peaks starting in the magnificence of their beauty, and a perfection of comfort in traveling that has never been surpassed.

Fast train via the Wisconsin Central lines for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland and Duluth leaves Chicago at 5:00 p. m. daily with Pullman Vestibule Sleepers and the Central's famous dining cars attached.

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Rigs & Shattuck are prepared to give sleigh rides in their mammoth moving vans.

Are you going this week? The immense sale of overcoats—1 and 1 off.

Peckham's Croup Remedy cures whooping cough.

DIED IN AN INSTANT

Henry L. Finney's Tragic Suicide.

COULD NOT STOP DRINKING

That Was the Excuse of a Highly Respected Citizen For Making His Wife a Widow Yesterday.

About fifteen minutes before 10 o'clock yesterday morning Henry L. Finney, 38 years old, residing at No. 39 Center street, shot and killed himself.

Finney has been employed at the Orin Cabinet company as bookkeeper for the past seven years. Periodically he has been in the habit of drinking, and his rash act was the result of a recent spree. He had not been working for several days, and had repeatedly told his wife that he was ashamed of himself and would have to quit.

The fact that he could not control his appetite for stimulants caused him to say several days ago, to his wife, that if he could not refrain from indulging, he would kill himself. To this assertion she paid little heed, but how sincere he was has been shown.

He Borrowed a Revolver.

Yesterday he arose early in apparently better spirits than usual, and, donning his clothes, went to the grocery store of Phil Graham, on South Division street, where he had been trading. Mr. Graham gave him a cigar, which he lighted and began smoking. He then asked Mr. Graham if he had a revolver, explaining that he had a sick cat at home which he desired to shoot.

Graham loaned Finney the pistol, a 32-caliber American bull dog, which he carried home. As he entered the door he met his wife, who, noticing that he had been drinking slightly, asked him not to go into the sitting room where Katie, a young lady visitor, was, because she did not want her to see him in such a condition.

He laughed without replying in the negative or affirmative, said he had done "pretty well while out." He had secured a free lunch, a cigar and a revolver.

Mrs. Finney Suspected Nothing.

Even then Mrs. Finney did not suspect that her husband intended to harm himself, and said, "You haven't bought a revolver, have you?"

He replied, "Well, I should say not; I borrowed it."

These were the last words Finney uttered. He went up stairs, and Mrs. Finney began the preparation of breakfast. Not more than five minutes had elapsed when she heard the report of a revolver. Mrs. Finney ran up stairs and opened the bedroom door.

The sight she saw within.

Stretched out full length on the bed was the body of her husband, the blood gushing from an ugly wound in the right temple, the revolver from which the deadly bullet had been fired resting upon his shoulder where it had dropped. The arms were lying lifeless by his side, the head turned a trifle to the left, the eyes closed, the heart still and respiration suspended. Death instantaneous. The ball penetrated and lodged in the brain.

Coroner Penwarden, who was notified, examined the remains and decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

In addition to his wife, Finney leaves one child, a daughter 3 years old. He was a prominent Knight of Pythias, and was past chancellor of Cowan lodge. He was also a well-known member of the Owashtanong club. The only reason assigned is that he was disgusted with himself because he could not control his appetite for liquor, and thought that he would even drink at all. His friends think he must have been temporarily deranged.

To all appearances he was a fine man and representative citizen, sound in body, mind and character. Neighbors who have lived near him for years never knew that he even drank at all. Mrs. Finney is said to be a model wife and mother, and the family was highly respected in the community.

Coran lodge will hold a meeting tonight to take suitable action and make arrangements for which will be made later.

The Most Pleasant Way

Of preventing the grippe, cold, headaches, and fevers is to use the liquid laxative remedy Syrup of Figs, whenever the system needs a gentle, yet effective cleansing. To be benefited, one must get the true remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles.

The Spiritual Union will have a hop at Kennedy's hall this (Saturday) evening. All friends are invited.

Fine Exercise

Can be had at Hartman's bowling alley, for ladies and gentlemen. Open daily from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m.

Attend the Grand Rapids Bus lines College, corner of Pearl and Ottawa streets. A. S. PARISH, Prop'r.

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Notorious and Vicious Stallion.

GIROD

He is an imported Percheron stallion, weighing 1,200 pounds, owned by William McLeod, Dutton, Mich.

TONIGHT.

The Oregon Horse.

TONIGHT.

A Thoroughbred Hunter.

TONIGHT.

Seven Wild and Vicious Horses.

TONIGHT.

Three Vicious Horses.

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During the intermission the little pet Dandy Wilkes, the most perfect colt in Michigan, will be on exhibition.

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Exhibition at 10 o'clock.

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ADMISSION, 50 CENTS.

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Good Japan Tea, per lb..... 20c, 30c, 40c

Best Rio Coffee, roasted and ground..... 25c

Best Maccabio..... 10c

Best Java and Mocha, roasted and ground..... 35c

New Dried Currants, per pound..... 7c

New Dried Blackberries, per lb..... 8c

New Dried Peaches, per pound..... 12c

Choice Rice, per pound..... 7c

New Raisins, per pound..... 7c

Choice Mince Meat, per pound..... 8c

4 pounds Seymour Crackers for..... 25c

Choice Potatoes, per bushel..... 30c

8 pounds Rolled Oats for..... 30c

3 pound Can Good Tomatoes for..... 12c

3 pound Can Yellow Peaches for..... 12c

2 pound Can Sugar Corn for..... 8c

2 pound Can Lima Beans for..... 8c

2 pound Can String Beans for..... 8c

1 pound Cake Maltard's Chocolate..... 12c

1 pound Can Salmon for..... 12c

3 pound Can Mackerel for..... 12c

Silver Glos Starch, per pound..... 6c

Corn Starch, per pound..... 6c

American Family Soap, per bar..... 4c

German Family Soap, 2 bars for..... 7c

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